SEC. 8. This act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

In the general assembly read three times, and ratified this the 7th day of February, A. D. 1883.

## CHAPTER 25.

An act to incorporate the town of Pireway, in the county of Columbus.

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

Incorporated.

Section 1. That the town of Pireway, in the county of Columbus, be and the same is hereby incorporated by the name and style of the town of Pireway, and shall be subject to and governed by all the provisions contained in chapter one hundred and eleven of Battle's Revisal.

Corporate limits.

SEC. 2. That the corporate limits of said town shall be as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the ford of Persimmon branch, near the Primitive Baptist church, and running with said branch to J. Gore's cotton gin, thence with the mill branch down to J. Gore's lower mill, thence a direct line to B. Benton's landing on the Waccamaw river, then a direct line to J. Gore's rice mill, then a direct line to a timber landing on the Seven creeks, near N. E. Jacobs', then a direct line so as to include the Primitive Baptist church, to the beginning.

Election.

SEC. 3. That the first election for municipal officers and constable shall be held within two months after the ratification of this act, and annually thereafter on the first Monday of May.

SEC. 4. That this act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

In the general assembly read three times, and ratified this the 9th day of February, A. D. 1883.